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FRAUDS ON THE LIVERPOOL BANK

BOOKKEEPER TAKEN INTO CUSTODY TO-DAY

Counsel at Opening of Case Gave Details of the Frauds—Twenty-Seven Forged Cheques.

(Associated Press.)
London, Dec. 2.—Thomas Peterson Goudie, the bookkeeper of the Bank of Liverpool, who disappeared at the time of the discovery that the bank had been robbed of about £170,000 (\$850,000), was captured this morning at Bootle, near Liverpool, where he had been in hiding. Goudie had £300 in his pocket when arrested. He will be brought to London for trial with the other men taken into custody in connection with the robbery, two of whom, "Dick" Burge, the pugilist, and F. T. Kelly, the bookkeeper of Bradford, were remanded this morning after a partial hearing of the evidence against them.

Hundreds of people clamored for admission into the small court room at Bow street, hardly capable of holding those directly interested in the case. Charles Mathews, counsel for the victimized bank, in presenting the case against the prisoners, gave the first authentic details of the frauds. He explained that there had been 27 cheques forged. The first two affected Goudie. The next 12, representing in value £25,300, would be mainly traced to Kelly, and afterwards to Kelly and another person not yet before the court. Six other cheques, valued at £91,000, would be traced, first to Kelly's account, and then to his bank account. But some of the proceeds were also traceable to Burge. The whole amount had been drawn out of the bank of Liverpool in cheques drawn to the account of R. W. Hudson.

Evidence was then presented to show that Marks opened an account with the Credit Lyonnais at the end of 1890. In October 1901 he paid in the first London cheque, amounting to £5,000. Later he introduced Burge, who opened an account after the first London cheque was paid in. In October Marks deposited two more cheques for £14,000. On November 1st Burge, accompanied by Marks, cashed a cheque for £13,000, receiving £7,000 in notes. The same day identical notes were deposited by Jas. Manee, whom Marks in the meantime introduced at the bank. Marks on November 5th deposited a London cheque for £30,000, and November 8th Burge presented a cheque for £15,000 drawn by Marks in his favor, while Manee the same day cashed another of Marks's cheques for £10,000.

A witness testified to a number of similar transactions. When the bank was enjoined the amounts standing to the credit of the accused were: Burge, £13,580; Marks, £10,901; Manee, £15,987. The latter has also £18,000 worth of consols. According to the books Marks received £62,000 from the Bank of Liverpool of which £27,000 was transferred to Burge and £35,000 to Manee, leaving Marks £15,000.

SAN RAFAEL DISASTER.

No More Bodies Have Yet Been Taken From San Francisco Bay.

(Associated Press.)
San Francisco, Dec. 2.—No more bodies have been recovered from the San Rafael disaster, and it is hoped that the three bodies already recovered will complete the sum total of the fatalities in connection with the sinking of the ill-fated ferry steamer. The fog which hung over the bay for 48 hours is being cleared away by a heavy rain which commenced at an early hour this morning, and the searchers along the bay shores will be enabled to more carefully scrutinize the waters for bodies and wreckage. It is impossible for several days yet to give a reasonable estimate of the possible loss of life.

QUESTION OF A NAME.

Title for the Canadian Mounted Infantry Not Yet Decided.
(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, Dec. 2.—The name Canadian Yeomanry given to the mounted infantry is only tentative. Colonel Evans is now considering whether to call the regiment Royal Canadian Horse or 2nd Battalion, Canadian Mounted Rifles.

LIVE STOCK EXPOSITION.

(Associated Press.)
Chicago, Dec. 2.—The work of judging the stock at the International Stock Exposition began to-day. The gates of the exposition were thrown open at 8 a. m. to a big crowd, which included many out of town cattlemen, in many cases accompanied by members of their families.

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SOUSA DECORATED.

Presented With Royal Victoria Medal When His Band Played at Sandringham.

(Associated Press.)
London, Dec. 2.—Sousa has brought to London from Sandringham, where his band played by Royal command last night before their Majesties and the Royal family, the Royal Victoria medal with which King Edward presented the bandmaster in appreciation of his services to music. The Prince of Wales personally affixed the decoration to Sousa's breast.

In describing the visit, Sousa said to a representative of the Associated Press: "It was among the most gratifying experiences of my life. The Royal command was received several days previous to the visit, but was kept a strict secret, the King desiring to give the Queen a birthday surprise." Mr. Sousa said further: "The King's motor car took myself and wife from the station. We marched into the hall room at 10.30. Some twenty persons were present, including the King and Queen, the Prince and Princess of Wales, the Duke of Cambridge, and Lady De Grey. We first played 'God Save the King,' and then His Majesty sent word that he wanted 'The Star Spangled Banner,' during the playing of which they all, including King Edward, stood up. The King again sent word to play 'The Star Spangled Banner,' and again all present stood up. The King stepped forward, shook hands with me, chatted with me in the most cordial manner, and asked me to congratulate the band on its excellent technique. The Queen came up, thanked me, and turning to the King told him how much she had enjoyed her birthday surprise."

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HAS MISS STONE BEEN MURDERED?

DR. HASKELL FEARS REPORT IS CORRECT

Brigands Refuse to Allow Anyone to See the Captives—Trying to Obtain News.

(Associated Press.)
New York, Dec. 2.—Rev. Dr. Henry C. Haskell, representative of the American board of foreign missions of Boston, at Sanakoy, Bulgaria, has sent the following dispatch from Sofia, Bulgaria, to the World concerning rumors of the death of Miss Ellen M. Stone, the missing missionary: "We hope that the dreadful news is untrue, but there is reason to make us fear otherwise. If the captives are dead, the fact would account for the determined insistence on the part of the brigands that the ransom money should be paid before the captives are surrendered to us. It would account also for the brigands' stubborn refusal to give safe conduct to one of our representatives to see Miss Stone and Mrs. Talika in order to certify to the fact that they are alive before we pay over the ransom money. "It would appear that it was really on this point, and not on the contention that the sum offered by us was insufficient, that negotiations for the surrender of the captives were broken off recently. Besides, the brigands insisted that they would delay giving up the prisoners until spring, although it is their first interest to close the matter as quickly as possible. These considerations naturally weigh with us in view of the reports now prevalent that the two women are dead. Moreover, we have some confirmation of the grave news, as we are sending men to learn the facts."

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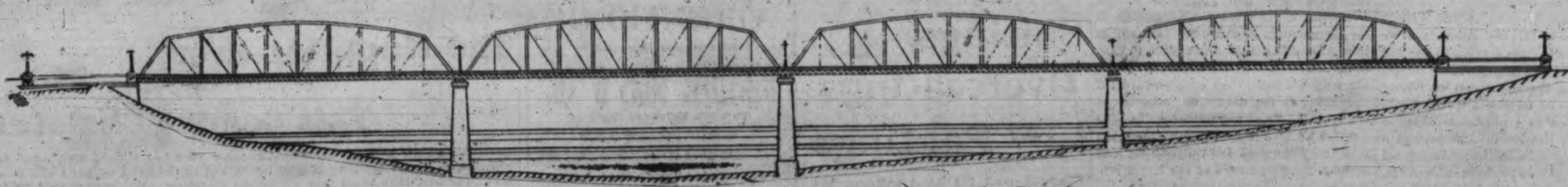
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THE NEW BRIDGE AT POINT ELLICE.



SIDE ELEVATION-ACCEPTED PLAN.

THE accompanying cuts represent two elevations of the proposed bridge across the arm at Point Ellice from the plans of the Puget Sound Bridge & Dredging Company, whose tender was accepted by the city council last Monday night. According to data furnished by representatives of the company, the substructure will be of monolithic piers with pile foundation. The piles will be driven to a solid bearing and cut off below low water, after which a sheet pile cofferdam will be constructed enclosing the foundation, and concrete deposited around the tops of the piles to a depth of six feet to effectually distribute the pressure over the foundation. Above this point timber forms will be constructed and the concrete piers built solid with

Portland cement and Rich cement facing as a finish. These concrete piers will be of ornamental design, and will constitute when finished a solid piece of masonry. The abutments will be of similar construction, with a parapet wall of ornamental construction 30 feet in length at each end of the bridge, making an imposing entrance to the structure. The steel superstructure, as shown in the drawing, will be of arched truss construction, making an aesthetic design which is supplemented by a heavy ornamental hand railing on each side of the bridge to protect the foot walk. Over each pier will be an ornamental electric lamp post. The sidewalks on the bridge will be of sufficient strength, to carry the largest crowd that can be packed on them during fete days, and as the walks

extend through the trusses to meet the roadway they are in effect six and a half feet in length. The roadway will be twenty-four feet in width between the trusses, and paved with treated wood blocks on steel floor joists. This roadway will carry a full load of vehicles at the same time the sidewalks may be fully loaded with electric cars, a full line of which, it is claimed, may be operated across the structure at full speed, or as high a speed as steam cars. The tramway rails will be laid on one side of the structure, and in such a way that this part of the roadway can be used for vehicles. In construction the trusses are made with stiff pin connections, so that there will be no vibration under the passage of the heaviest loads or electric cars.

The bracing which connects the bridge together, crosswise will be of the very heaviest construction, the floor beams which carry the steel joist and floor being so deep as to make the bridge absolutely rigid under the heavy 32-ton cars, while the overhead bracing will be massive and ornamental, as shown in the cross section. The combination of the whole should make a harmonious bridge, as it is proposed to paint the steel works so as to harmonize with the color of the foundations.

The plan of the bridge is one of those adopted by the city council, as prepared by the city engineer, the sizes being figured out by Cooper's specifications, which determine the size of the minutest piece and which it is claimed, if strictly followed by all bidders, would have put them on an equal basis for their tenders.

Theodore Cooper, author of these specifications, is the consulting engineer for the great cantilever bridge at Quebec, which is now under construction, and which will be one of the greatest bridges in the world, being designed somewhat after the style of the great Forth structure in Scotland. Mr. Fowler, president of the Puget Sound Bridge & Dredging Company, is a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers, and an engineer of long experience in this class of work, having constructed numerous large architectural bridges through the United States, and having been engaged in Canada and Mexico as well. He is the author of "The Cofferdam Process for Piers," one of the standard works in use by engineers on foundation work. He is also author of "Engineering Studies," a

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PASSENGERS.

Per steamer Chatter from Vancouver—Saturday—G. N. Levy, Mr. Greenbridge, Lady Adelaide Taylor, Mrs. Ward, Capt. Parker, M. D. Howell, J. W. McCarthy, J. Vernon and wife, H. Harrison, H. W. Wm. Hatch, F. Waring, C. Baker, E. G. Goldberg, W. Copeland, J. Upjohn, M. Kyle, W. McKenzie, T. Spaul, F. B. Pemberton, W. L. Hall, D. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Clark, Mrs. L. G. Cross, G. C. Hinton, Miss Anderson, W. J. Connelley, Capt. G. W. Robertson, G. A. Keefe, A. J. Harvey, J. Fletcher, Geo. Parker and wife.

Per steamer Majestic from the Sound—Saturday—R. A. Stewart and wife, Wm. Crabbe, R. H. Powell, E. L. Thomas, A. C. McDonald, W. von Rhein, F. Myers, T. M. Lyngdon, J. Dennis, A. H. Nichol, J. T. Strong, Rev. J. F. Vichet and wife, T. West, W. Budd, J. W. Potter, S. W. Nuttall, Miss Ross, J. DeLacy, Miss Stone, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Horne, Mrs. Cras, B. Holliday.

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Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—Monday—Capt. Jno. Roberts, James Roberts, A. L. Berdies, Miss Fullager, J. M. Adams, B. Tooley, H. A. Stearns, F. Dervell, W. J. Anderson, D. C. Smith, J. H. Rogers, H. C. Callaghan, W. F. Sumner, D. S. Barton, Mrs. Barton, H. Krash, F. A. Cleland, C. E. Fowler, W. T. Pentreath, A. E. Partridge, F. Billo, Mr. Kloeber.

CONSIGNEES.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—Saturday—Hutchinson & Co., H. J. Brady & Co., Speed Bros., A. McGregor & Co., Farnman-Wilson Co., F. R. Stewart, Berry & Stewart, W. R. Clark, Watson & McGregor.

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Notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John A. Duncan, late of Fort street, Victoria, deceased, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to J. A. Duncanson, the acting executor of the will of the deceased, at the office of his solicitors, Rodwell & Duff, Victoria, B. C., on or before the 15th day of January, 1902. And notice is hereby given that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John A. Duncan, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice, and that he will not be liable for the payment of any claim or demand which he shall not then have had notice of, or which he shall not then have been supplied with sufficient particulars to enable him to make proper provision therefor. And notice is hereby given that the said executor will not be bound to deliver any property or assets of the said John A. Duncan, deceased, to any person who shall not have been supplied with sufficient particulars to enable him to make proper provision therefor. Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 29th day of November, 1901.

J. KEITH WILSON, Executor.

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Heating Apparatus, Roseland, B. C.," will be received at this office until Friday, 20th December, inclusive, for the supplying and placing in position of a heating apparatus at the Public Building, Roseland, B. C., according to plans and specifications to be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, at the office of Wm. Henderson, Victoria, B. C., and at the office of R. W. Gregor, Clerk of Works, Roseland, B. C. Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers. An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10 p. c.) of the amount of tender, must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the party declines the contract or fails to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender. The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. By order, FRED. GELINAS, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, November 29th, 1901. Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for.

THE TARTAR FROM CHINA AND JAPAN

ENCOUNTERED STORM OUTSIDE THIS PORT

R. M. S. Empress of China Will Call To-morrow, When Troops Will Embark for China.

A fierce gale encountered within a few days' run of port was the only bad weather reported by the steamship Tartar on her arrival from the Orient yesterday afternoon. The storm continued throughout Friday night, but the ship rode it out without mishap. She was heavily freighted with cargo for overland points on the C. P. R., as also some little for local and Vancouver merchants. No salmon passengers arrived on the steamer, and of the Chinese aboard but eight landed here. The next Oriental liner due will be the Shinano Maru, which is expected on Wednesday.

THE CHINA'S PASSENGERS.

R. M. S. Empress of China will not sail for the Orient until to-morrow, when the troops leaving here for the Orient will embark. Excellent quarters have been fitted up for them on the liner. The Empress will have a fair number of passengers and a full cargo for the Orient. The following is the list of passengers: Mr. Sugiyama, Mr. Sato, Dr. Ter A. Thatch, Major G. H. Lock, Dr. E. Merchant, R. Wyse, E. A. Leather, Miss J. Lamberton, S. H. Dyke, M. D. Howell, Miss K. W. Runkel, Rev. James Endicott, wife and children, Miss Baynes-Reed, Mrs. Stanhope, Mrs. Spence, Miss E. M. Trent, Mr. Chow Superintendent Steamship Lines; E. E. White, F. E. F. Hayhurst, J. Goforth; Intermediate, Mrs. Schriver, E. T. Payne, Sam Sing, wife and children, Yee Dark Chung, Wing Tom, Miss Reid, sister of J. Baynes Reid, of the meteorological office, will be among the passengers.

ROANOKE AGAIN SPOKEN.

Again the overdue ship Roanoke has been spoken, and reinsurance will take a decided drop, says the San Francisco Examiner. The news comes in a cablegram from London, which states that the ship was spoken on September 25th, in lat. 54 S., long. 70 W. The Roanoke is laden with Pocahontas coal, for the Maro island navy yard, and is 167 days out from Norfolk, Virginia. The case of the Roanoke is a peculiar one. She was placed on the overdue list when she was spoken on September 25th, and it was made that the vessel had been sighted on fire off the coast of Virginia. Owing to the inflammable nature of the ship's cargo, it was thought that she was the burning vessel, but since that time she has been reported on four different occasions. The last heard of her was when she was spoken on September 25th, in lat. 54 S., long. 70 W. Notwithstanding the reports of the vessel's safety, she has not been taken from the overdue list, and reinsurance has varied from 8 to 45 per cent. The latest cablegram shows that the vessel has just rounded the Horn. The last report has caused the reinsurance to drop from 25 to 15 per cent.

MARINE NOTES.

It is expected that part of the salted salmon shipments now lying on the outer wharf will be loaded by the Glen-shiel. The steamer is one of the older vessels of the Glen fleet, operating regularly between Tacoma and London. She is a trifle smaller than the Northern Pacific liner Glenogle, and is built on much the same lines. She was last at Tacoma in March, sailing March 28th, bound for London, via the Seas and Orient, to re-load with tea at Foochow for home. Steamer Dolphin entered the dry dock yesterday, the City of Topeka having vacated the blocks on Saturday evening. The Senator, which was slightly injured at the north entrance of Wrangel Narrows, may also come here for repairs. She is now waiting at Tacoma to go in some dock.

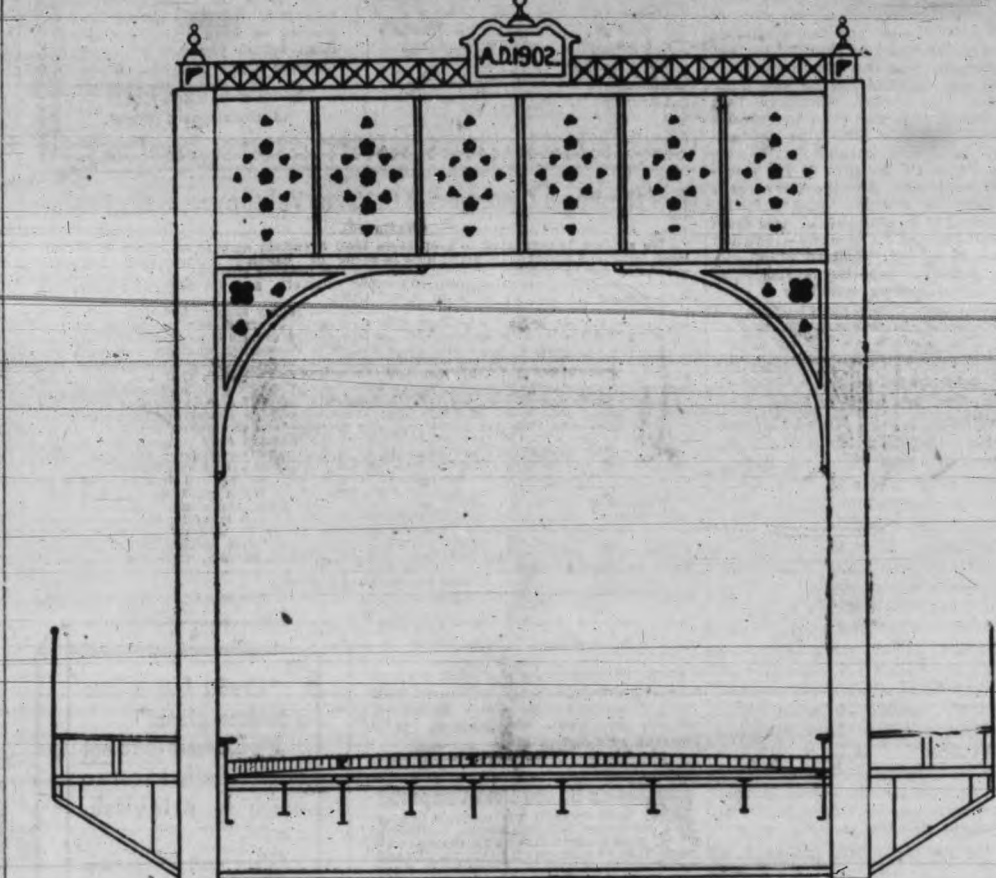
Reinsurance on the Norwegian bark Prince Albert, 201 days out from Vancouver for Queensborough, has been advanced yesterday to 40 per cent. The rate on the Norwegian bark Anglia, 145 days out from Newcastle, Australia, for Panama stands at 55 per cent. The Kruse line steamship John S. Kimball, which left Seattle for San Francisco on Friday, carried 100 passengers and 700 tons of general merchandise.

THE TWO SCOURGES. ALCOHOL AND MORPHINE AN ANTIDOTE DISCOVERED.

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SOME MORE GOOD NEWS FOR THE PEOPLE OF VICTORIA.

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DECREASED EXPORTS IN UNITED STATES

An Increased Production in the Adjoining Republic—Depressed Condition of the European Markets.

Wm. M. Brewer, M. E., called the attention of a representative of the Times to an editorial in the latest issue of the Engineering and Mining Journal on the copper production and available stocks of copper in the hands of producers. The output in the United States in October reached a total of 24,098 long tons of fine copper, or an increase over the same month in 1900 of 3.2 per cent. The production of the foreign reporting mines, which include nearly all the European mines in operation, also showed an increase in output over last year of 13.1 per cent. This output has been kept up in the face of a heavy decrease in consumption in all leading manufacturing countries. The decrease in exports from the United States during October, 1901, was 6,090 tons, as compared with October, 1900.

Compared with the exports for ten months in 1900, a decrease is shown during ten months of the present year of 46.6 per cent., or a difference between 138,883 tons in 1900, and 74,126 in 1901. The Engineering and Mining Journal explains this remarkable falling off in the exports as due to the depressed conditions of business in Europe, the suspension of new enterprises in which copper is required and the lessened consumption by manufacturers, and goes on to say: "At the same time what is known in the European markets as the visible supply of copper is not large, and we are informed that no considerable part of these stocks, as reported, consists of inferior material which would hardly be accepted as good deliveries. Any increase in demand, which, we may note does not seem probable at present, must be followed by immediate buying. The reluctance to buy is chiefly due to doubts as to the future of business, and is

helped also by the belief that a reduction in prices may be compelled by holding back orders. It is true there has been some increase in European imports from Chili, Peru, Mexico and also from Japan, but this increase has not yet been large enough to have caused a serious decrease in purchases from the United States had business continued active. Mr. Brewer then continued: "Fortunately for the copper market the consumption in the United States during the period under consideration has been far greater, especially in the manufacture of copper wire and in brass making, than during previous years, thus warranting the assumption that the falling off in exports has been almost, if not quite, made up by the home demand."

"The production of copper in the United States during the first 10 months of the present year has increased phenomenally, and promises to continue to increase with strides and bounds, so that before long the production will certainly make its influence felt in the United States market, where all of the copper from the province is at present marketed. In the event of a fall in prices it is not unreasonable to say that our copper will be the first to feel the effects because it would not at all be likely that United States consumers would show British Columbia producers any favors."

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which a reduction in the price of copper would certainly produce, serious attention be given to seeking some other market. "Shipment direct round the Horn to London has been suggested by some of the heaviest copper producers, but this, if successful, would only be a temporary expedient, as the saving at best would only amount to about one cent a pound on blister copper, while the time occupied in transit would be long, and cause tedious delay in securing payment for the product.

"Concerted action and enterprise by our own people will achieve quicker and more lasting results than any other method. If we could unite in a scheme to present the advantages of our Coast to capitalists for manufacturing purposes to supply the markets of the Orient, we can, if successful, defy all competition. But there are many factors to be considered and statistics to compile—some of the latter I understand are being gathered by R. E. Gosnell, secretary to the Premier.

"This is a good beginning, but it is only the initial stage, and must be followed by a clear presentation to capitalists, and by that expression I mean the men themselves who have the money to invest, not middle men or brokers. In order to achieve the best results personal influence, such as can be brought about through the work of a local syndicate, with means at hand to properly present telling arguments, is necessary. Unless our own citizens have sufficient enterprise and public spirit to take these matters up, and keep steadily at work on them, satisfactory results will not follow. The community which waits on government aid in nine cases out of ten finds the plums they are after plucked by those communities which believe in helping themselves through their own pluck, perseverance and energy."

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EXTENSION OF THE WAR.

The Boer war extends far beyond Africa. It is being fought out very acrimoniously in some of the New York papers, where there are Britons patriotic enough to defy public opinion and uphold a cause which is not by any means a popular one in any American community. The New York Times condemned the concentration camps, saying some very severe things about the methods of the British. When challenged to point out what disposition it would make of the women and children who had been thrust into the hands of the British to feed and minister to, it ignored the question altogether, contenting itself with re-asserting that the death rate in the camps will remain an indelible blot upon the record of Great Britain; that the Boers are a healthy race and carelessness and ignorance upon the part of their women could not be held to cause such a terrible mortality. But again the testimony of competent authorities has established the fact that while families of fifteen or twenty children are quite common among the Boers of the veldt, the mortality among their children would be considered scandalous in a well-ordered European or American community. A fatalism almost as pronounced as that which characterizes the followers of Mahomet is chiefly responsible for this. There is the authority of reliable writers, American and British, for the fact that a Boer farm house is not a desirable place in which to spend a night. The company is too "promiscuous." In isolated standings these habits are comparatively harmless, we suppose, when one gets thoroughly injured to the system; but make up a populous community out of such elements and the result is bound to be disastrous. The British are culpable only to the extent that they failed to comprehend the exact nature of the task that had been thrust upon them. The Boer families are not under military discipline and the camps cannot be regulated exactly as those responsible in a certain degree for the welfare of their inhabitants desire. But to assert that all that it is possible for human agencies to accomplish is not being done for the comfort and health of those unhappy men, women and children is simply to deny all the well-established facts of the war.

Down in Washington, D. C., the conflict rages also. A Boer pastor who has been stumping the country and from pulpits and platforms appealing for funds, one week ago, occupied the pulpit of the church in which President Roosevelt worships. A special significance has been attached to this event by the press, although it is not asserted that the President himself was present when the harangue was delivered. The pastor of the church claims to have reserved his pulpit exclusively for sacred subjects. The driving of the British from South Africa is a holy enterprise. The pastor of the day is reported to have

been rather incoherent in his utterances on account of his limited English vocabulary; but he made up in vehemence for what he lacked in other directions. Nothing less than the evacuation of the Cape by the British, he said, would satisfy his countrymen. If the Americans refused to assist in such a cause to the full extent of their ability, then they would be a party to the subversion of liberty and their time of adversity would surely come. As soon as a propitious occasion presents itself the North American continent will be made British. An appeal like that should have been efficacious, but as the orator reviled his audience and told it that the West exceeded the East in liberty by about ten to one, we may presume to draw the inference that the American people are not so alarmed about the fate of the Goddess of Liberty as to feel called upon to go down deep in their pockets to provide the wherewithal for her defence.

Even in Ontario, where the leaven of the United States Loyalists has been working for more than a century, there are to be found those who take the side of the Boers in this unpleasant controversy. A village doctor named Harbottle, regardless of the disappearance of his practice, became so deeply incensed at the action of Britain that he could not subdue his feelings and inflicted them upon his neighbors. These opinions proved as unpopular as they would be in Victoria. B. C. The population expressed its disapproval in missiles, directed at the doctor's residence, and sometimes even at the doctor himself. He converted his house into a stronghold with iron shutters on windows and doors. Dr. Harbottle was not to be put down by the rabble, vigorous as were its methods of expressing its disapproval. The culmination of this little drama came very near being a tragedy. A neighbor undertook to make an exhibition of the doctor for the benefit of a crowd of admiring on-lookers. The physician lost control of himself and fired a pistol point blank at his tormentor. He was probably too much agitated for his aim to be true. His tormentor got off with a flesh wound and the man whose mission was to heal is in gaol, charged with a serious crime. The story is not creditable to any of the parties concerned in it. It is indeed a strange thing that in Canada a mob should thus treat a man who honestly upholds his opinions however obnoxious they may be. Yet the doctor can scarcely be considered a wise or discreet man in creating such antagonism to himself. As an educated gentleman he might have combatted the contentions of his neighbors and upheld his own convictions, if he considered it necessary to do so, without arousing such passions.

If such things be possible in Canada, where political bitterness is not mingled in the controversy to add to its acrimony, we should not be so very much surprised at the depths to which certain alleged leaders of public opinion in Great Britain have reduced discussion upon this melancholy subject. Those who maintain that the world is becoming tolerant and broad where it should be hard and inflexible in its opinions and narrow and bigoted where it should be just the opposite are not without ground for their assertions.

BRIGHT PROSPECTS.

It is announced that the work of erecting the first smelter on Vancouver Island will begin this week. It will be one of the largest establishments of its kind in British Columbia, and will furnish employment to a great number of men and mean the creation of a good-sized town in a very short time in the vicinity of Mount Sicker. This movement stamps the mining camps of this island with the seal of the approval of the greatest mineral experts in the world. It means more for Victoria than her citizens can appreciate at present or will fully comprehend for some time. This new industry should be tributary to us and with the rapid development which will follow should give an impetus to business that will merely be the first symptoms of the great activity which is sure to follow. The indications are that the whole province is about to be quickened into new life. The labor troubles at Rossland are nearly at an end and the output of the mines there promises to soon reach the normal again; active steps are being taken to establish a lead refinery and make the silver-lead regions of the province independent of the United States lead trust; the capacity of the smelters in the Boundary country is about to be doubled; the new placer finds in Cariboo will be exploited in the spring; the operations in the far north will be more vigorous than ever next year; and to crown all, the proof of the value of the minerals of Vancouver Island is now complete. The erection of these smelters will create many subsidiary industries; large quantities of coke will be required, the demand for all kinds of labor will be stimulated and the horizon of business activity considerably broadened. It is safe to predict that in the course of the year upon which we are about to enter the people who have sustained their faith in old Victoria through all the vicissitudes of an eventful past decade will have reason to congratulate themselves on their steadfastness, if material progress and prosperity be the chief consideration.

The doom of Britain commercially has been pronounced. Scotch whiskey is being made in New York and exported in large quantities to South America; so a British commercial agent says.

In order to enable all men to qualify for public life by conferring upon them a "gift of the gab," it is proposed to commence a school of elocution in Australia under the patronage of the government. If the radical elements in the Commonwealth Parliament succeed in this, Australia will be a fine place to keep away from. Our contemporary across the way has more than once pleaded for something in the nature of "schools of elocution." From any increase in the number of men who "think they can talk" may the good Lord deliver us. The Sydney Telegraph says of the latest proposal:

"We don't want any such system, what we do want is some scientific method of teaching people not to elocute. The amount of speech-making that goes on in altogether out of proportion to the needs of a nerve-weak community, in which the constant clanking of vain tongues makes the night of existence unnecessarily hideous. When you come to reckon it up nearly every citizen of New South Wales is either a delegate to some conference or a member of some committee that supplies him with a rostrum from which to deliver what a mendacious press describes as a few well-chosen remarks. This mania for public speaking is as powerful a passion when it gets hold of a man as the drink craze, and the number of talk-drunkards who stagger about the political and social streets intoxicated with the exuberance of their own verbosity is one of the saddest sights of modern times. And it is getting worse."

"No one ever thinks of offering a prize for silence. Even the legislature itself lavishes its rewards not on the member who has laboriously and conscientiously cultivated the virtue of shutting up, but upon the one who most contentiously ignores that dignified and humane quality. It is no wonder, therefore, that every young man who rises to 'propose the ladies,' or 'the press,' or 'the land we live in,' should imagine that he carries a Premier's portfolio in his elocutionary knapsack. At the very opportunity he probably 'consents to allow himself to be nominated,' and from that day forward he becomes a bawling member on society. Instead of an education teaching department something more to the purpose would be a state institute for the treatment and cure of the victims of 'cacophonous loquacity.'"

Hon. George E. Foster, as becomes a sort of reincarnated politician, has been promulgating certain very lofty principles of action of late. Turning his eyes away from the operations of Mr. Monk in Quebec, he tells the young men of the party that: "There is an insidious evil that is creeping into the house, into business, politics, schools—into the country everywhere. It is the question so often asked and so often sadly answered, 'What does it matter so long as I get there?' What does it matter so long as I am successful? That is the devil's own question. It is ruining more men and more reputations and eating into the life of the country with a deadliness that is not even realized. It means everything but a man got there; better ten thousand million times never get there than be a millionaire, better never get there than be a prominent man in politics or a successful man in trade, if the getting there is in defiance of moral principles and straightforward conduct."

The political atmosphere is becoming highly charged. There are lively times ahead. Col. Prior may transfer his talents to another field of labor, where the harvest is more promising than in the federal sphere, which has been rendered barren by the misguided efforts of the leaders of a discredited party. The Times has had a few lively passages with the Colonel in the past; but there is no ill-will on either side. If he decides to transfer his colors, we believe the Colonel will create somewhat of an upheaval in provincial affairs. He is one of the best known men in British Columbia and very popular. If he should be chosen leader of a provincial Conservative party and should be instrumental in securing the division of the political forces on party lines, we are not sure but it would be a good move.

Col. Prior is reported to have said that if he decides to come on as a candidate for the vacant seat in the Local Legislature he will do so as a strong opponent of the Dunsmuir government—just as strenuous in his opposition, in point of fact, as Mr. Bodwell. We did not think the government was so utterly discredited. The relations between Mr. Dunsmuir and the Colonel in the past have been such, however, that it would be just as well for the electors to make sure that there could be no rapprochement by marking their ballots for one who can be trusted to remain in opposition. In the present condition of affairs there are too many opportunities for "deals" to take any chances.

The representatives of the Boers are perfectly candid now. What do the people who maintained that Great Britain was responsible for the outbreak of the war think of the assertions of the men who are collecting funds for the cause in Europe and America that they would agree to one thing only—that the British quit South Africa for ever. Their recognition of our autonomy would be insufficient. We must be masters of the Cape, as well as of the Transvaal. A very vigorous Monroe Doctrine this.

It seems a smelter is to be established and operated on Vancouver Island without importing ore, with the assistance of the Dominion government, from South America to feed it. But that will not convince the Colonist that one of its airy, fairy schemes in which the Dominion and the Provincial governments

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Quite a few people make the mistake that all that is required is a knowledge of bookkeeping; they make this mistake until they apply for a position, and find they will be asked, "What experience have you?" Now, this experience called for is a knowledge of doing office routine work, no matter what it is, and what may turn up in the happenings of business, you are expected to do it, and do it quickly and neatly. And because our graduates know how to do all this quickly and neatly, we have no difficulty in placing them into suitable positions, in fact, we scarcely have to make an effort to do so.
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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Dec. 2-5 a. m.—The barometer remains low off the coast and high from the Territories southwestward to California. Rain is falling over western California and Oregon, and fog is reported on Puget Sound. The weather has been fair on Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland, while in Alberta a cold wave with very low temperatures has appeared, and is spreading towards Manitoba.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m. Tuesday. Victoria and vicinity—Moderate winds, mostly cloudy, followed by rain to-night or on Tuesday.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, mostly cloudy, followed by rain to-night or on Tuesday.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, 44; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles N.; rain, .02; weather, fair.

New Westminster—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, 38; minimum, 34; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, 32; minimum, 22; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 54; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles S. E.; rain, .01; weather, rain.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

A few nice Albums at half price, J. Johnston, Douglas street.

A meeting of the Daughters of St. George will be held this evening when the principal business will be the election of officers.

There will be a meeting at the drill hall to-night, 8.30, for the purpose of making arrangements for the coming military ball. All members interested in the same are requested to be present.

The popular steamer Rosalie sails at 9 a. m. daily, except Saturday, from Hudson's Bay Co.'s Wharf for Seattle and other Puget Sound points. E. E. Blackwood, Agent.

F. A. Gwin, of the Yreka property on Mount Richards, who was in the city on Saturday, reports the discovery of a fine body of copper ore on the Chumash river about six miles above the Copper Canyon group at the foot of Mount Sicker.

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As if attesting the popularity of the drill hall concerts, 615 people were present at the even provided—Saturday night, when the weather was anything but favorable for the occasion. The recitation by Miss Leslie McDonald was greatly appreciated. The piccolo solo, "Kinloch of Kinloch," by Band Sergeant Carroll, was much admired. The selection for bagpipes by David Kennedy aroused great enthusiasm. Miss Maggie Hill in Scotch dances was well received. All received encores. Arthur Salvini was no doubt the star of the evening, and received a double encore, his singing being certainly that of a highly talented vocalist. Of the band numbers perhaps the selections, "Robert Bruce" and "Reminiscences of Scotland" and the march, "Farewell Victoria," were the best. For next Saturday a basketball contest between the James Bays and Fernwoods has been arranged.

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The funeral of John Dallas, who died yesterday at the Jubilee hospital, will take place to-morrow morning at 9.30 from the parlors of W. J. Hanna.

The usual monthly meeting of the Friendly Help Society will be held to-morrow morning at the city market. A good attendance is requested, as the Christmas work must be arranged.

The fire department had a run last evening to a house at the corner of Cook street and Caledonia avenue, where a curtain had become ignited. The blaze was easily extinguished without loss.

President H. Dallas Helmecken, of the St. Andrew's Society, to-day received a telegram from the Governor-General in reply to one sent by him to Lord Minto: "Hearty thanks and best wishes to St. Andrew's Caledonian Society."

The monthly meeting of the Ministerial Association was held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church lecture room this morning. It was decided to observe the week of prayer, and a committee was appointed to arrange a programme and to report at a special meeting to be held 16th inst.

The departing soldiers and sailors of H. M. S. Warspite and the Royal Garrison Artillery were tendered a farewell tea and concert by the Wesleyan Methodist Mission at the Marine hall, Esquimalt, last Saturday evening. There was a good attendance and an excellent programme was rendered.

B. C. Pioneer Society banquet committee held a meeting on Saturday night. All arrangements are completed for the annual dinner on the 6th (Friday), at the Victoria hotel. Tickets are now in the hands of the committee, and as the number is limited all members and brother pioneers should secure them at once.

The manager of the Home for the Aged and Infirm acknowledges with thanks the following donations during November: Mrs. H. D. Helmecken, Mrs. L. J. Quagliotti, Mrs. McGirr, N. Shakespear and Geo. Marsden, reading matter; Mrs. Stevens, Ganges Harbor apples; and B. W. Pearce, clothing.

Up till 2 o'clock this afternoon 506 householders qualified as voters in the municipal elections. Doubtless by the time this paper reaches the street last year's number, 516, will have been exceeded. The city assessor's office, city hall, will be open to-night from 7 o'clock until 9, to allow belated householders to make the necessary declaration.

Fourteen loans, amounting to \$9,475, were granted by the Directors of the B. C. Permanent Loan & Savings Company at a meeting held at the Head Office on Friday, November 29th, making a total of forty-three loans, amounting to \$80,325, granted for the month of November. The above facts are proof that this company is doing an immense business.

A special meeting of the school board will be held to-night in the office of the board. The principal business will be the appointment of teachers to vacancies for the approaching terms. During the past six months vacancies have occurred on the teaching staff, and temporary appointments until the end of the present term were made. Altogether there are about 30 applicants, so the school board will have quite a delicate task before them.

In the police court this morning Frank Olliff was called for drunkenness, but not appearing his bail was exonerated. John Williams, a Sunday drunk, was fined \$5 or ten days. Mah Hing was remanded till Thursday for vagrancy. He is demented, and will probably be sent home to friends in China. A young man named John Hickey was charged with assaulting a messenger boy. The charge was withdrawn on payment of costs. The charge of vagrancy against Jas. Whitehead was dismissed. A Chinese assault case, in which one Ah So is the accused, was adjourned until to-morrow.

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Charges Against Thos. Earle Will Not Be Pressed, and He Is Confirmed in His Seat.

This morning before Judges Walkem and Martin, Col. Prior, M. P. for Victoria admitted, through counsel, a contravention of the Elections Act, and upon this admission his election was voided. Mr. Earle's seat was confirmed by order of the court, the prosecution declining further press the charges against him.

The hearing of the election petition of Fairfull vs. Prior and Earle was set down for 10.30, and at that hour Mr. Justice Walkem and Mr. Justice Martin, the latter still suffering from the injury to his ankle, took their places on the bench.

The court having taken their places, Mr. Hunter rose and called J. C. Brown, the first witness for the prosecution.

Robt. Cassidy, K. C., thereupon rose and said: "My lords, I appear for the respondents. In this matter since last judgment acts have come to the knowledge of Col. Prior, one of the respondents, with regard to the hiring of hacks by friends of his during the election on November 14th for the purpose of conveying voters to the polls. The position of these gentlemen with regard to the election is such that I have been obliged to advise Col. Prior that there was a contravention of the act which makes his position untenable. Under these circumstances Col. Prior is obliged to plead guilty to a contravention of the act in that respect."

At the same time I am instructed by Col. Prior to say that in that election, as far as he was concerned, his conduct was perfectly pure and no corrupt act was done by him during the election, either on nomination or on polling day with his knowledge."

Mr. Justice Walkem—"I can't hear all you say."

Mr. Cassidy—"I am instructed to say that while obliged to make the admissions he has just done, regarding the hiring of hacks by friends who were his agents within the meaning of the Elections Act, and strong supporters of his, Col. Prior disavows any act of personal corruption, or that of any friend, that was done with his knowledge during the election. He therefore pleads guilty."

The court—"To a contravention of the act. It is no crime."

Mr. Cassidy—"Col. Prior is much affected by the knowledge and does not wish to oblige his friends to go into the box, and thus be obliged to be the means of voiding his election."

With regard to Mr. Earle the petition does not charge anything against him. At any rate my instructions are with regard to Col. Prior alone."

Mr. Hunter—"In view of the statement of my friend I am in a difficult position. I don't know whether the admissions are intended to bind Mr. Earle or not."

Mr. Justice Walkem—"He says not."

Mr. Hunter—"Mr. Earle's name not being mentioned in the particulars, perhaps the best course would be to adjourn the court for half an hour and find out where we stand."

This was accordingly done.

At 11.15 the court resumed, and Judge

Walkem asked what the counsel had to say.

Mr. Hunter—"I understand my friend's admissions are confined to the case of one of the candidates, Col. Prior. All I have to say is that we accept his admissions in regard to him."

With regard to the other gentleman the evidence we have doesn't warrant us in going on against Mr. Earle. By reference to the particulars of Your Lordships will see that our case was being developed almost exclusively against one of the respondents. We can't go on against Mr. Earle."

Judge Walkem—"What are you going to do with the petition? Will you withdraw that against Mr. Earle and submit to judgment against you?"

Mr. Hunter—"Yes. Of course we must have judgment against Col. Prior."

Judge Walkem—"Oh yes."

The court continuing said he was not sure what procedure was followed in relation to forwarding a certificate to the House.

Mr. Cassidy—"Your Lordship simply pronounces judgment on the evidence before you, or on the admissions before you as entered in the 'Prior' case, and on the failure to press the charge in Mr. Earle's case."

Judge Walkem—"Judgment goes against Col. Prior with costs. Judgment goes in your favor (addressing Mr. Cassidy) in Mr. Earle's case."

Judge Walkem then drew the attention of the counsel in the case to a chapter providing that election cases should not be brought on, when judges were engaged on circuit, and to the violation of that rule in the present instance.

After the court was adjourned, and Mr. Justice Martin had withdrawn, but while Mr. Justice Walkem was still on the bench, Mr. Cassidy intimated that it was Col. Prior's wish to go into the box to deny knowledge of corrupt practices."

His Lordship replied: "His statement is taken as true. He is absolved from corrupt practices."

In Chambers.

The Hon. Mr. Justice Drake presided in Chambers this morning, when the following applications were disposed of: Donville vs. Braid-J. H. Lawson for plaintiff applied for an order to proceed with taking of accounts under a decree. B. G. Goward, for D. G. Marshall, defendant's solicitor, contra. Order made for accounts to be brought in within ten days.

Re Vancouver Island Building Society winding up—F. Higgins for applicant; J. H. Bradburn for liquidator. Application stood over by consent.

Re J. F. McDougall, deceased—S. Child, of Drake, Jackson & Helmecken, applied for probate of will. Application ordered to stand over till disclaimer of trustee be filed.

Re Leung Choy Moi—A. D. Crease renewed application for appointment of guardian. Order appointing guardian granted, ward to be produced before the court once every six months.

Re Estate of W. A. Anderson—Application for adjudication of claims. A. D. Crease, for liquidator, asked for adjournment for one week. Granted.

CEREMONY CONCLUDED.

Fest of the Spirits Terminated With Becoming Festivities—Yesterday's Procession.

The triennial feast of spirits in which Chinatown has participated during the past few days is now concluded. The festivities have been adequately conciliated and the spirits of the departed are guaranteed repose for another three years at least. The trio of distinguished priests from "Friseo" have throughout performed their sacred duties with all becoming solemnity, and although their efforts were supplemented by a healthy pandemonium, the ceremony has proven extremely interesting to the European spectators who witnessed it in the Free Masons' hall on Fisgard street.

Yesterday at 2 o'clock the usual daily procession took place with more than ordinary magnificence. The myriads of diversified colors so strikingly evident in all Oriental pageants were to be seen here with a vengeance. Dragons, Josses, banners, flags, with mystic inscriptions, and emblems contributed to the gaiety of the parade. It was somewhat surprising to observe Constable Carlow at their head, but it was afterwards learned that this energetic officer was merely fulfilling his duties as a guardian of the peace, and was not as a duly qualified member of the elect, acting as a herald of the gorgeous procession.

Flags, banners and other devices, dragons, animated by a contortionist in the head and tail, Joss and his escort carrying spears, priests dressed in white, red and other colored gowns, and a motley following contributed to the procession that wended its way through the streets of the Chinese quarter, ending at the Free Masons' hall on Fisgard street, which, as usual, was highly ornamented in honor of the occasion. In the evening the Chinese orchestra produced the invocations of the priests by several overtures, this musical aggregation being particularly strong in their fortissimo passages. In fact the effect upon the ear drums of those unaccustomed to the peculiar music of the Chinese was demoralizing.

The proceedings were wound up by a gathering in the Chinese theatre, in which were crowded several hundred curious Celestials. An impromptu assault-at-arms programme was presented, and perhaps if it were possible to fathom the depths of the spectator's inner consciousness it would be found that he enjoyed it.

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SPORTING

RUGBY FOOTBALL

WON BY HIGH SCHOOL.
Victory fell to the High school team in their match with the Victoria Intermediate at Oak Bay on Saturday afternoon. The score being three points to nil. The intermediates were numerically inferior to the High school, but nevertheless they gave the winners a hard struggle for supremacy.

The High school out-generalized their opponents, the dribbling tactics of their forwards being very effective. Marchant secured the only score of the day by a fine rush over the line. He nearly made the score five points instead of three, the sphere when kicked striking one of the posts. Marchant, Levy, Peterson, Netherby, and Winsby distinguished themselves for the winners, while Blackburne, W. Newcombe, Heath, S. Patton and C. Newcombe played well for the intermediates.

ATHLETICS.

FAREWELL ASSAULT-AT-ARMS.

The rather slim attendance at the assault-at-arms in Philharmonic hall on Saturday night enjoyed an excellent programme. Instructor Mellish gave an exhibition of club swinging in his usual fine style. Ryder, of the Winnipeg, and Nobby Clarke, of the Garrison, boxed six rounds the former being declared winner. There was tumbling by Mellish and Hill, and a horizontal bar exhibition by Mellish, Hill and Wriglesworth. Paddy Connor, of H. M. S. Warspite, champion dog dancer, was excellent in his dog dancing. Frank Stevenson, V. A. C., showed up in fine style at the punching bag. The ten-round boxing contest between Jack Spence and E. Kirby, of the Warspite, for a gold medal presented by the V. A. C., was won by Spence. Prof. Foster was master of ceremonies, and Harry Morton refereed. During the evening music was provided by the Banbury brothers.

THE HUNT.

GOOD RUN IN ABOMINABLE WEATHER.
Since the Victoria Hunt Club opened its present paperchasing season, Saturday has usually been more or less wet, but for abominable weather the palm must be given to last Saturday, when the meet was at the Gorge bridge. Nevertheless eight riders, amongst whom was a lady, were sufficiently keen to brave the elements and get a thorough drenching. The hares were given five minutes' law. They crossed one of Mr. Johnson's fields, jumped into the road at the far end, and then over a pole fence into a trail leading through the woods, from which they intended taking another trail leading towards the river. Striking the wrong one, they had to hark back and very nearly ran into their pursuers. The latter, however, were soon distanced, for the wind, which was blowing a gale from the southeast, carried the paper all over the country, so that to follow the line taken by the hares was almost impossible, except by tracking their horses. The Burdette road was crossed, and one sportsman arrived on it by a short cut, his horse having seen fit to take a line of his own over a five-foot fence. One of the hares had a roll in a hole ploughed field on Mr. Sea's farm, his mare landing there over the fence on her head, having trodden in a hole. It was, however, soft, not to say slimy, falling, so that no damage resulted. After crossing the Carey road, the hares came upon an empty barn, which under the circumstances, invited entrance and promised a shelter from the down pour, and from which a view could be obtained of some ground they had crossed a mile or more back. There being no sign of the pursuers, it was concluded that the scent was too bad for them to follow, except at a very slow pace, so here the chase ended, the hares waiting for ten or fifteen minutes until the rest came up, instead of continuing for some miles farther over some much better ground than that which had already been traversed. The wind blew and the rain came down in torrents, and everybody was content to go home.

It is intended next Saturday to work the ground which would, under more propitious circumstances, have been taken last Saturday, meeting at the Royal Oak at 2:30.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

WON BY COLUMBIANS.

The Columbus won the first match in the city Association football league at the Caledonia grounds last Saturday afternoon, their opponents being the Fernwoods. The unfavorable weather made good playing difficult, but nevertheless the match was fairly well contested. The Columbus' victory was due to their superior combination. The score was four to nil, of which Berkeley secured two, Telf one, while another was scored off a Fernwood player.

VICTORIA V. NANAIMO.

The game played last week between the Victoria and Nanaimo aggregations at the Goal City seems to have been of an exceedingly interesting nature. Nanaimo had very strong team, and from all accounts it took all Victoria's powers to wrench victory from the local players. The following account of the game is given by the Nanaimo Free Press:

"The Association football match between the Thistles, of this city, and the Victoria eleven, while it resulted in defeat for the local players was in no sense a signal defeat. The Thistles showed themselves to be worthy contestants for the match. The ground was in very good condition and no rain fell during the match to mar the success of the game."

"Early in the game Victoria scored twice. This was followed in the first half by Nanaimo taking three goals, which put Nanaimo's admirers in the best of spirits, as the prospects were strongly in favor of their winning the day."

"In the second half, however, the Victoria players won two goals. The Thistles, while playing well, were in bad luck, and though the ball was carried many times down on the Victoria goal they failed to score."

"This in part may be accounted for by the fact that Brooks, of the Thistles, was suffering from an injured leg, which left him in very poor condition to play during the second half. The splendid work of Victoria's backs, Schweglers and Goward, saved many a rush upon the goal during the day."

"Nanaimo played a strong team. Goal Harrison saved some well directed shots on goal, and Nimmo on the back, sustained his well earned reputation for that position. The forwards played a good combination at times; in a rush on goal they were not

as well supported by the half backs as they should have been.

"The match showed that Nanaimo Football Club has within it players of the very first rank, and that they need fear none other in the province when their full team is playing."

"For the local team J. Richards scored one goal and J. Brundell two. For the Victoria J. Lorimer and Livingston had one goal each in both halves. D. Stewart acted as referee."

NOTES.

The Junior match which was scheduled to be played between the Boys' Brigade and Smith Park was postponed on account of the failure of the latter team to provide a referee. It has been decided by the officials that if the referee is not arranged for by the team on which this duty falls the game shall be postponed so as to give them an opportunity to do so. This will be a warning to those who have to provide teams in the future.

The Boys' Brigade team is being reorganized, the officials having found the former aggregation too light to stand against teams with which they have to play in the league.

Next Saturday a game will be played in the Junior league series between the North-western and High school teams.

The second game of the senior series of Victoria District League games will be played at the Caledonia park next Saturday between the Victoria and Columbia teams. Both teams are practicing assiduously in preparation for the game, and an even and interesting game will be contested.

As the District City League has just commenced it might be well to mention the representative colors of the different contesting teams. They are as follows: Victoria, red, blue and white; Columbus, red and white; Fernwood, amber and black; Garrison, blue and red.

The result of Saturday's game between the Fernwood and Columbia teams has in no way discouraged the Spring Ridge boys. It was the first game played this year, and naturally they have not become accustomed to each other. With a little more practice they expect to make a good run for the championship.

CHIEFS.

STANDING TO FRIDAY.

The standing in the New Century chess tournament to Friday evening is as follows:

Players	Played	Won	Lost	P. C.
P. T. Johnson	14	13	1	92%
C. G. McKenzie	13	9	4	69%
Q. Hunter	14	9%	4%	67%
A. Gunnsson	9	6	3	66.2%
B. J. Perry	22	14%	7%	63%
A. J. Garsche	19	6%	3%	62%
W. Marchant	14	7%	6%	58%
Capt. Mitchell	22	11	11	50%
Capt. Clarke	20	10	10	50%
C. A. Timbrell	10	5	5	50%
J. T. Meyers	19	9	10	47%
A. S. Jones	29	13	16	45%
W. Allott	6	2	4	33.3%
C. M. Wilkins	13	4	9	30%
C. W. Rhodes	10	3	7	30%
J. B. Ashby	17	2	15	12%
J. M. Sly	12	1	11	8.3%

The drawing for the week ending Friday, December 6th, is:

L. M. Wilkins plays Capt. Clarke.
C. W. Rhodes plays A. S. Jones.
J. B. Ashby plays W. Allott.
B. J. Perry plays W. Marchant.
A. Gunnsson plays C. A. Timbrell.
Capt. Mitchell plays J. M. Sly.
C. G. McKenzie plays J. T. Meyers.
Q. Hunter plays A. J. Garsche.
P. T. Johnson—Bye.

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VICTORIA-VANCOUVER ROUTE.

S. S. "Charmar".
Leave Victoria daily, 1 a.m.
Leave Vancouver daily, 1:15 p.m.

NORTHERN B.C. COAST ROUTE.

S. S. "Tees".
Leave Victoria 11 p.m. 1st and 15th of month.
Leave Vancouver 2 p.m. 2nd and 16th of month.

For Alert Bay, Port Rupert, Rivers Inlet, Namu, Bella Bella, China Hat, Lowe Inlet, Skeena River, Metlakatla, Ft. Simpson, Nahcotta River, and intermediate ports calling at Bella Coola and Skidegate once a month.

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Leave Victoria Tuesdays and Fridays, 7 a.m.
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NEW WESTMINSTER-CHILLIWACK ROUTE.

Steamer "Beaver".
Leave New Westminster Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 8 a.m.
Leave Chilliwack Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 7 a.m., calling at Fraser River landings between New Westminster and Chilliwack.

NEW WESTMINSTER-STEVESTON ROUTE.

Steamer "Richter".
Leave New Westminster 2 p.m. daily, except Sunday.
Leave Steveston Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 7 a.m.; Friday, 9 p.m.; Saturday, 9 p.m., calling at Fraser River landings between New Westminster and Steveston.

WEST COAST ROUTE.

Steamer "Queen City".
Leave Victoria 1st, 10th and 20th day of month, for Pt. Renfrew, Carmanah, Clusso, Hodge, Cove, Ecola, Alberni, Sechart, Uclulet, Clayquot and Ahousat. For Cape Scott and intermediate ports on 20th day of each month, connecting at New Westminster and Steveston.

This Company reserves the right to change this time table at any time without notice.

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Leave	Day Train	Arrive
9:20 a.m.	Spokane	7:15 p.m.
12:20 p.m.	Spokane	4:10 p.m.
9:40 a.m.	Nelson	6:45 p.m.

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Ionian-Alban Line	Dec. 7	Dec. 9	10 a.m.
Tunis-Alban Line	Dec. 14	Dec. 16	10 a.m.
Cambrian-Dominion Line	Nov. 30	Nov. 30	10 a.m.
Vancouver-Dominion Line	Dec. 14	Dec. 14	10 a.m.
New England-Dominion Line	Dec. 7	Dec. 7	10 a.m.
Saxonia-Cunard Line	Dec. 7	Dec. 7	10 a.m.
Ultonia-Cunard Line	Dec. 21	Dec. 21	10 a.m.
Cambrian-Cunard Line	Nov. 30	Nov. 30	10 a.m.
Ultonia-Cunard Line	Dec. 7	Dec. 7	10 a.m.
Majestic-White Star Line	Dec. 4	Dec. 4	10 a.m.
Philippine-American Line	Dec. 4	Dec. 4	10 a.m.
St. Paul-American Line	Dec. 11	Dec. 11	10 a.m.
Kron Prince William Line	Dec. 5	Dec. 5	10 a.m.
Bremen-N. G. Lloyd Line	Dec. 5	Dec. 5	10 a.m.
Breslau-N. G. Lloyd Line	Dec. 12	Dec. 12	10 a.m.
Anchor-Anchor Line	Dec. 14	Dec. 14	10 a.m.
Furness-Anchor Line	Dec. 28	Dec. 28	10 a.m.

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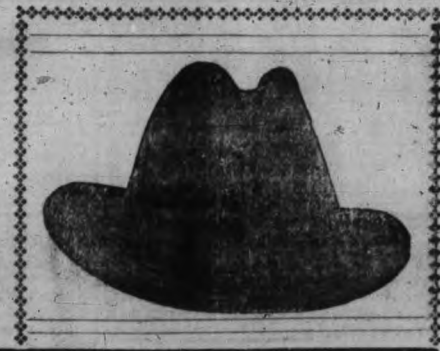


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Provincial News

VANCOUVER.

A verdict of accidental death was rendered by the coroner's jury relative to the fatality which befell the little girl Lillie March, on Wednesday. The evidence of the coroner, John Friswell and Conductor D. W. Halley, went to corroborate the occurrence already given. The little girl, after being lifted from the car going up the hill, ran round the end of it in front of the car, coming down. The going was being sounded, and the car was moving at a walking pace. As soon as the motorman saw the child he applied the brake. The wheels of the forward truck passed over her. Attached to the jury's verdict was the following rider: "We recommend that a better method for the safety of people be adopted, namely, that a car approaching one which is stopped for the purpose of taking in or discharging passengers, be brought to a standstill within a car length of where the stationary car is located, and not proceed until the first car has begun to move away."

The marriage of John H. Grady, one of the oldest and best known members of the police force, and Mrs. Beatrice Gorman took place on Thursday. The wedding was a strictly private affair and none but the most intimate friends were present. Mrs. Gorman comes from Campbell, Ont., where she was very well known and highly popular. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. McLaren.

Clive Bainbridge, M. A., a young Englishman who has almost completed one of the greatest tours in modern history, is at present visiting Vancouver. This tour is rather unique from many standpoints. Mr. Bainbridge maintains him-

self while travelling by writing for many newspapers and magazines and giving recitals of his many and varied experiences. He collects a document from each place he visits as proof of his tour being beyond any doubt. He has had adventures of the most exciting nature both by sea and land. Imprisoned in Western Russia—shot and imprisoned in Turkey—lost in India—shot in New Zealand—shipwrecked on the coast of Tasmania and many other too numerous to mention. Mr. Bainbridge's object in touring the world is to write and illustrate an extensive work, giving the features that are calculated to strike one.

The case of W. E. Gillespie was remanded for eight days when called in the police court on Saturday.

The Trades and Labor Council, it is said, intends to devote some attention to municipal matters. The presentation of a platform to which all candidates in the coming election will be asked to subscribe, is said to be one of the things to be considered. The platform will probably be modelled after that adopted by the Winnipeg council, which is as follows: 1. Abolition of property qualification for all public offices. 2. Abolition of the ward system and election at large. 3. Adult suffrage in all municipal elections. 4. Abolition of the contract system in all public works of construction and improvement. 5. The retention and acquisition of all public franchises by the city. 6. The retention of the early closing by-law. 7. All civic work and supplies to be furnished by union labor.

The following to be addressed to the school board candidates: Will you support—1. Compulsory education. 2. Free text books in public schools. 3. Free night schools for adults. 4. A curfew law or legislation in direction of that principle.

NEW WESTMINSTER.

The death occurred on Wednesday of Margaret, eldest daughter of Mr. J.

Budge, Royal avenue. The deceased, who was in her seventeenth year, succumbed to consumption.

Notices have been issued by Reeve R. Hawkins, as chairman, and Reeve J. A. Catherwood, as secretary, for the annual meeting of the Reeves' Association, to be held in this city, opening at 2 p. m., on Friday, the 20th of December. The notice states that the members of the legislature for rural districts are to be invited to attend one session for the purpose of hearing the discussion on suggested amendments to the Municipal Act.

The wedding took place on Thursday evening of Lucy Harriet, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Trodden, to Mr. Thomas Adams Campbell, youngest son of the late Mr. John Campbell, at St. Andrew's church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. E. Vert.

News comes from Langley of a serious accident which occurred there on Friday afternoon, the victim being Edwin Braden, the young son of R. A. Braden, one of the best known pioneer residents of that section. It appears that the lad was out shooting, and on his way home went after some muskrats which inhabit the dykes. He had fired one barrel of the shotgun, and had apparently opened the breech in order to pull out the empty shell, when in some way the other cartridge exploded, the entire charge flying into his face. The shot tore his flesh frightfully, burning his face and singeing his hair. Some of the shot went into his eyes, and the boy will probably lose the sight of one eye.

KAMLOOPS.

The death occurred on Friday morning of James Warlow, of this city, aged 78, at his residence. Mr. Warlow was a native of Kent, England, and came to Canada 40 years ago, living in Gravenhurst, Muskoka, Ont., where he followed his trade as a plumber. Mr. Warlow came to Kamloops three years ago, and followed the trade of a shoemaker. He leaves behind him a son, W. H. Warlow,

and a daughter, Miss Francis Warlow, of this city, and a son in the Northwest.

A very representative gathering met at Raven's hall last Tuesday evening at the call of C. J. South with the object of forming a branch of the society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. About 70 people were in attendance. Mayor Gordon occupied the chair and in a neat speech opened the meeting and introduced Mr. South. After an interesting speech of about half an hour Mr. South strongly recommended the forming of a local branch in Kamloops. Revs. Akhurst, McLeod, Stewart and Wood spoke strongly in favor of forming a branch of the society, as also did W. H. Whitaker. A motion to that effect was put and carried unanimously and the constitution of the Vancouver society adopted with a few amendments. The following officers were elected: President, B. A. Nash; first vice-president, Rev. A. W. McLeod; second vice-president, J. T. Edwards; secretary-treasurer, Dr. Procter, with the following executive committee: J. F. Smith, Rev. J. C. Stewart, Rev. H. S. Akhurst, Rev. J. A. Wood and Chas. Austin. The society starts out with a membership of 20 which will soon be very materially increased.

NELSON.

A quiet and very pretty wedding took place in St. Saviour's church on Wednesday evening when Miss Minnie M. Mott, a daughter of John D. Mott, of London, Ont., and sister of Mrs. W. J. Chittick, of Victoria street, with whom she made her home, was united in marriage to Fred S. Clements, P. L. S. R. Rev. Bishop Duff officiating.

SANDBOX.

Louis Kroton was killed and Mike Gvora injured on the K. & S. railway near the Last Chance bridge on Wednesday. The men were employed on the section, and were doing some track work when a rock rolled down on top of them. Gvora is not seriously injured. Both men are Galicians.

MUNICIPAL

Collector's List of Lands or Improvements on Real Property Within the Corporation of the City of Victoria

To be Sold for Taxes, Interest and Costs on the TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1901, at the City Council Chambers, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., at 12 o'clock noon, in pursuance of "The Victoria Real Property Tax Sale By-Law, 1901," unless in the meantime the arrears of Taxes, Interest and Costs due in respect of each Lot in the Schedule hereunder written be paid. If sold the said Lands and Improvements will be chargeable with a proportion of the Legal Costs of and incidental to the obtaining of the Judge's Order confirming such Sale.

Lot.	Block.	Section.	Assessed Owner.	Registered Owner.	Assessed Value.	Registered Value.	Interest.	Costs.
1140.	35.	1-10	L & C. W. Jenkinson	Not Registered	18.00	18.00	3.40	27.15
1211.	28.	1-10	L & Mrs. A. Lombard	Ada Lombard	25.28	25.28	4.55	33.11
1254.	39.	1-10	L & P. Ferrall	Patrick Ferrall	24.75	24.75	4.45	32.55
1255.	39.	1-10	L & P. Ferrall	Patrick Ferrall	16.20	16.20	2.91	21.75
1256.	39.	1-10	L & P. Ferrall	Patrick Ferrall	21.00	21.00	3.59	25.59
1257.	39.	1-10	L & P. Ferrall	Patrick Ferrall	15.20	15.20	2.72	19.75
1258.	39.	1-10	L & P. Ferrall	Patrick Ferrall	15.20	15.20	2.72	19.75
1259.	39.	1-10	L & P. Ferrall	Patrick Ferrall	15.20	15.20	2.72	19.75
1260.	39.	1-10	L & P. Ferrall	Patrick Ferrall	15.20	15.20	2.72	19.75
1261.	39.	1-10	L & P. Ferrall	Patrick Ferrall	15.20	15.20	2.72	19.75
1262.	39.	1-10	L & P. Ferrall	Patrick Ferrall	15.20	15.20	2.72	19.75
1263.	39.	1-10	L & P. Ferrall	Patrick Ferrall	15.20	15.20	2.72	19.75
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WARSPITE AND CONDOR
LEAVE PORT TO-DAY

Flagship Takes Her Departure En Route
to England—Will Be Succeeded
by the Grafton.

Promptly at 10 o'clock this morning His Majesty's ships Warspite and Condor weighed anchor and sailed on their long voyage, the former for England and the latter on a cruise among the islands of the Southern Pacific, with Honolulu as the first point of call.

Great excitement prevailed aboard all the men-of-war in port as the two ships pulled out. Men manned the rigging of the ships in port, as also the departing vessels, and cheer after cheer was given with gusto. Flags hung in great profusion from the staff-rail to the jibboom on all the ships in port, and the bands on the Warspite and on the Phaeton, which is now to become the senior officer's ship, struck up lively airs. That on the flagship, under the leadership of Signor Fontana, will be greatly missed in musical circles, for both the conductor and individuals of the aggregation have been very generous with their music. The band on Capt. Fleet's ship is only a life and drum one, but it is an excellent organization.

On the Warspite are Rear-Admiral Beckett and his staff. The former is accompanied by his wife and daughter, who will be going as far as Guatemala on the ship, where a son of the admiral is now living. They will be returning, it is expected, on the Grafton, the new cruise which is to relieve the Warspite on this station, and which it is thought will soon be commissioned for service on this coast. The itinerary for both the voyages of the Warspite and Condor have heretofore been published. The Warspite will be due at Coquimbó, where she is to be met by the new flagship, on February 25th. She will call en route at Monterey, Magdalena Bay, Acapulco, San Felipe, Port Colomera, Bahia, Honda, Panama, Paita, Callao, Iquique, Coquimbó, Valparaiso and Juan Fernandez.

It is exactly nine years ago to-day since the Warspite first made her appearance on this coast. She was the first of the large ships serving on this coast and is now finishing her second commission.

The Condor will be due back in Esquimalt on the 12th of April.

In consequence of the departure of the Warspite and Condor the honor of firing the salute in recognition of Queen Alexandra's birthday fell to the Phaeton, which discharged the regulation 21 guns at exactly 12 o'clock. All the vessels of His Majesty's fleet are in gala appearance to-day in honor of the event.

A report has reached Esquimalt that several cases of yellow fever have developed on board the Amphion while on duty at Panama. The southern station, it is stated that owing to the outbreak of the disease, which was bound home, has been ordered back to Panama, and the Amphion has gone to Galapagos. It has been impossible to verify the rumor.

HOLDING ITS OWN.

No Fear Expressed as to Efficiency of the Cofferdam—Foundation Work.

The James Bay cofferdam has been holding its own famously despite the heavy rain during the past few days. The surface water which has been forced into the flats has been easily carried off by the pumps, and the greatest difficulty in connection with the work is therefore not the water, but the mud which is being excavated. Workmen are busy extending the surface drains 900 feet through the flats to the harbor, and it is expected that the necessary connection will be completed in a few days.

The construction of the foundation will then be proceeded with without delay. The piles will be cut off about the surface of the mud and broken rock situated between them. On this foundation concrete will be placed, and it is altogether probable that the stone work will be commenced in a month. Haggerty & Woods have the contract for this work. The city engineer is quite pleased with the manner in which his plans have materialized, but doubtless would have been more so if the omniscient critics had suspended judgment until the testing of the cofferdam had passed its preliminary stage.

A very superior line of Skin Rugs at Weller's. A large assortment of white, brown or fawn. These Rugs are odorless. Suitable for Presents.

A new two-story brick building is being erected on Piquard street for a company of which Lee Mong Kow is the head. The structure will have a frontage of 60 feet and a depth of 60. The stories will be exceptionally high, 17 feet. In the rear of this building another will be constructed, to be used in connection with the main building. It will be 40 by 50, and will thus give the entire place a depth of 110 feet. The cost will be in the neighborhood of \$7,000. Already a considerable portion of the brick work for one story has been done, and should the weather prove favorable this part of the construction will be completed in a couple of weeks. The contract is in the hands of George Sailer, and Thomas McKel is architect.

Steamer Yosemite will arrive from the Mainland on time this evening, having left Vancouver at 1:30 after connecting with the Eastern train.

A 4x7 Sazeri Rug (best make) in a choice lot of colors at \$5.00 each. What better can you have for a Hall? Oriental effect at small cost. Weller Bros.

GROUND FOR SMELTER
BROKEN THIS WEEK

Will Be Capable of Handling Four Hundred Tons and Employing Five Hundred Men.

D. S. Forthingham, one of the trio of Butte capitalists who have in hand the construction of the smelter at Osborne Bay, arrived in the city on Saturday night from Butte.

Mr. Forthingham took East with him for expert test a small shipment of Lenora ore, and splendid return from it was published some time ago in the Times. He states that in addition to its good return, it can be treated practically without a flux, which enormously simplifies the matter of smelting it.

So satisfied were he and his associates with the tests which they made that all the machinery was ordered and full preparations made at once for pushing the work of the smelter forward.

He states that ground will be broken this week at Osborne Bay, and that blast furnaces and a Bessemerizing or converting plant will be installed, and the ore reduced first to matte and then to pig copper. The smelter will be a four-hundred ton one, capable of enlarging as soon as occasion warrants to 600 tons. It is expected that the plant will be in running order in six months, and that employment will be given to from 400 to 500 men.

Personal.

Del Carry Smith, grand president of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, accompanied by A. E. Partridge, grand secretary of the order, and N. T. B. Penroth, editor and proprietor of the Fraternal Eagle, are in the city on their regular visit to the local agents. An entertainment and banquet will be given in their honor this evening. They are staying at the Victoria hotel. From here the grand president will go to Nanaimo, Vancouver and New Westminster.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Walsh have returned from a very enjoyable trip to the Fraser, where they were very successful in instituting an order of the Royal True Blues. Mr. Walsh will leave shortly for Nelson to organize another lodge.

A. B. McNeill, late principal of the North Ward school, who recently embarked in business in Vancouver, came over last evening. He is to be banqueted by the teachers of the city at the Balmoral to-night.

J. J. Baird, Mrs. McLagan, J. C. MacLure, R. Jamieson and G. H. Cottrill and wife were among the passengers to arrive from Vancouver by the steamer Charming last evening.

Mrs. Maude, wife of Major Maude, accompanied by Lady Elliott Taylor, arrived in the city on Saturday night's Charming en route to Southern California on a business trip.

Robert Hamilton, of the Hamilton Manufacturing Company, Vancouver, is among those staying at the Dominion hotel.

Capt. D. Roberts, of the steamer Rosalie, and his brother, J. J. Roberts, are among the guests at the Victoria hotel.

M. D. Russell, of New York, is at the Vernon. He goes out on the Empress tomorrow on a trip to Japan.

H. Mitchell, M. C. Russell and P. F. Richardson are three commercial men staying at the Victoria hotel.

Charles E. McKenna, advance representative of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, is in the city.

G. W. Lawson, travelling auditor of the C. P. R., is in the city, a guest at the Vernon hotel.

G. A. Kiefer, Dominion government engineer, arrived from the Mainland on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Forthingham, of Seattle, are registered at the Dominion hotel.

G. Lewis arrived from up the line yesterday, and left last night for Vancouver.

Rev. J. F. Vickert returned from the Sound by the Majestic on Saturday.

Miss Gertrude Coils leaves by the Charming this evening for Roseland.

F. B. Pemberton came over from Vancouver on Saturday evening.

A. L. Bredie, of Seattle, arrived from the Sound this morning.

A. Engles, of Plover's Pass, is a guest at the Dawson hotel.

J. D. Inkster, of Vancouver, is at the Dominion hotel.

C. Cliffe, of the Sandstone Mining Revue, is in the city.

A. F. Gwin, of Westholme, is at the Dominion hotel.

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STOCK QUOTATIONS.

(Furnished by the B. C. Stock Exchange, Limited.)

New York, Dec. 2.—The following quotations ruled on the Produce Exchange to-day:

N. Y. Wheat—Open, High, Low, Close.

May 82 1/2 83 1/2 82 1/2 83 1/2

Chicago Corn—Open, High, Low, Close.

May 61 1/2 62 1/2 61 1/2 62 1/2

Liverpool Wheat—Open, High, Low, Close.

May 61 1/2 62 1/2 61 1/2 62 1/2

New York, Dec. 2.—The following quotations ruled on the Stock Exchange to-day:

Open, High, Low, Close.

American Sugar 120 1/2 121 1/2 120 1/2 121 1/2

C. M. & St. P. 108 1/2 109 1/2 108 1/2 109 1/2

People's Gas 90 90 89 1/2 90 1/2

Manhattan 120 1/2 121 1/2 120 1/2 121 1/2

B. N. 102 1/2 103 1/2 102 1/2 103 1/2

Union Pacific 102 1/2 103 1/2 102 1/2 103 1/2

Atchafalpa 75 75 74 1/2 75 1/2

U. S. Steel 43 1/2 44 1/2 43 1/2 44 1/2

Southern Pacific 90 90 89 1/2 90 1/2

Missouri Pacific 101 1/2 102 1/2 101 1/2 102 1/2

Amal. Copper 74 1/2 75 1/2 74 1/2 75 1/2

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COMMUNICATIONS.

AN ADVANCED PROGRAMME.

To the Editor:—At the public meeting held in the city of Vancouver on the 22nd inst., I stated my views as to what policy should be pursued with regard to several important matters affecting the province. The three daily newspapers there with remarkable unanimity have suppressed all report of these views. As these opinions appeared to receive very general approval from the large audience, and I fancy some what influenced it in voting unanimously non-confidence in the Danmuir government, I desire to give publicity to them through your journal.

The weakness of coalition governments is the ease with which certain members, in the hands of a committee who could support from one side of the House to the other.

I suggested that a remedy could be got by each convention when nominating a candidate requiring him to place his resignation in the hands of a committee who could in case he was elected and failed to go straight, send his resignation to the Speaker, thereby bringing on a new election and enabling the wish of the majority to be voiced on the floor of the House. I stated that if ever again a candidate I would set an example by placing my resignation in the hands of such a committee.

Coming to the general policy, I said:

1. A redistribution act should be finally passed before other bills are introduced. Differences as to boundaries to be settled by Chief Justice.

2. That I favor the getting of the best possible offer for the Coast-Kootenay railway as a competitive line. Then a referendum to the voters should be had to decide whether the railway should be constructed as a government work or as a competitive line. Of course the latter would not be submitted. I would not object to that, and would gladly endeavor to carry out the will of the majority. Vox populi, vox Dei.

3. That the E. & N. railway, its land grant and the coal mines thereon, should be acquired by the province on a commercial basis as to price. The coal mines could then be leased on terms. The revenue, since we would buy on a commercial basis, and can borrow money on the credit of the province (with the purchased property as collateral, if necessary at 3 1/2 per cent., would be more than sufficient to pay interest and sinking fund on cost of property, but also upon the cost of extending the line to the northern end of the island. As there is room for but one main line on the island, such a line is a natural monopoly and should be in the hands of the people. It could be run in conjunction with government-owned lines on the Mainland from the Coast Island to both Kootenay and Caspar points. Some reasonable control of the price of coal and of its carriage is absolutely necessary if smelters, refiners and manufacturers are to be built up on the Coast, which, having cheaper water transportation to all the markets of the world, has a great and early future before it unless we let the great corporations now endeavoring to do so much everything in sight in this province of illimitable natural wealth.

4. That I am opposed to land grants to railways, believing in the principle laid down by Edward Blake twenty years ago, that "the land should be for the settler" and not for the speculator. We have many thousands of people land-hungry, who find all the accessible lands tied up by government reserves, or already held mostly unimproved by speculators and railway companies.

5. That, generally, I approve of government construction of our railways, so long as no case should any one be given without allowing the voters by referendum a chance, if a sufficient number wish it, to express their approval or disapproval.

6. That the Oriental question should be dealt with by the legislature when it meets passing an Immigration act on the lines of the recent Australian act. If the latter be not disallowed by the Imperial government, the Ottawa government will not and dare not disallow ours. If the Imperial government allows the Australian act, we can then fairly ask the federal government to pass a similar act whereby we can exclude Chinese, which we cannot do under a local act, because the Dominion has taken these people out of our jurisdiction by its poll tax of \$100 per head.

7. That I favor a labor arbitration act, which will not only give a solution to a just basis of all our labor troubles, so injurious to both capital and labor and to our reputation in financial centres abroad, but by its means Oriental labor already in the province, wherever it is or may be unduly encroaching upon "white" labor, can, under applications to fix a minimum wage in any employment, be gradually, and without any special hardship, driven back.

8. That a maximum rate of not more than \$1.25 per ton coal from the Similkameen to the Coast cities over the Coast-Kootenay railway should be fixed, whereby citizens at the Coast will get their coal retail for from \$4 to \$4.50 per ton, instead of \$9.50 per ton as at present.

I made two trips—one abortive through not arriving in time for the Victoria meeting.

ing travelling some 2,500 miles and spending nearly two weeks' time—for the purpose of bringing these views (however small their value) before the Coast public, therefore I do not relish the journalistic treatment I got in Vancouver. If it means that all opinions not suiting the schemes of, and the schemes for, various subsidy and concession hunting corporations are to be kept (by what influences?) out of the daily press, I wish to serve notice that I am not pulling chestnuts out of the fire for any of them, and I opine it will be found when the time comes that certain of us, members of the House, who desire to promote only the public interests, will be quite sufficient in number, after the defeat of the Danmuir government, to prevent the province being squeezed like an orange by a new set of grafters.

The urgent necessity for a refinery at the Coast for copper and probably for lead bullion, too—and the equal necessity for government ownership of the Coast-Kootenay railway giving specially low rates on products to be refined; the various amendments to be given our mining, farming and horticultural interests, the promotion of iron and steel making, the steps to be taken to double our fishery and timber outputs, the conservation of our forests, the taxation of unimproved lands, our transportation rates, etc., etc., are matters upon which public attention and the best efforts of the government should also be concentrated.

SMITH CURTIS.

Roseland, 20th Nov., 1901.

A DOG'S TAIL.

To the Editor:—Your correspondent, being "only a dog," doesn't know anything about the Point Elliot bridge contract, nor about the Seattle Bridge Company, who are said to have secured the contract. But your correspondent has been at several Seattle shows, and he has reasoned out his treatment in this way: If a man won't treat a dog fairly, he won't treat a man fairly; if a society of men won't treat a society of dogs fairly, that society of men won't treat a society of men fairly. Look at the price list of any dog show given in Seattle and you will find every prize worth picking up is "for the best and so-and-so owned in Seattle," or "the state of Washington," or, in effect, "anywhere so that we have it amongst ourselves." We dogs from Victoria are allowed to win a box of cigars or a cake of soap (probably to wash some of the sleepiness out of some Victoria aldermen), but the cups and big things must "stay to him." See the laughing stock we made of ourselves at the last show, coming home with two bit neckties, a bamboo (25c.) walking stick, and other valuable trophies. Yes, the Seattle people will treat you very fairly; feed you on rotten meat, give you no water, and tell you that as a gold-dugged Britisher you ought to be highly pleased at being allowed to sniff the breeze from Old Glory waves, and look at the prizes given to the "best-dog owned in Seattle." And that Seattle bridge company will bring over its own men, and its own men will bring over their own dogs; and these Seattle workmen will buy elegant British goods with British money, feed their Yankee mongrels "owned in Seattle," and our workmen will look on hungry and idle, and ourselves, too. But, contract or no contract to "see-attle," just wait till election day, and if one of those "see-attle" aldermen, (from Victoria) shows his nose out we'll bite the whole face off him.

A DAWG.

THAT POINT ELLICE BRIDGE.

To the Editor:—Just my little whack on this burning topic, as it seems to be yet undecided. Of course the stone bridge is all right, I mustn't pretend to question that, and the concrete and steel must be all right, because it is supposed to be cheaper, and the all steel as a natural sequence is all right, because it is cheapest, and of course that must be our motto till kingdom come; which being decided, let us make the best of it by getting this terrible Yankee spider-like steel in its most graceful and imposing form, namely a suspension bridge. I am not aware of the cost, but it would seem probable that the increased cost of the superstructure, if any, would be met by the saving in foundations. Finally, while we are about it, blot out the unfortunate name and re-christen it before our visitors next 24th May the Victoria suspension bridge.

NEMO.

The Cear granted an audience to Marquis Ito, the Japanese statesman, yesterday. An understanding between Russia and Japan is regarded as the probable outcome of the audience between the Cear and Marquis Ito.

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